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Dan E. Fischer, et al.

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) 1744

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A VISCOUS SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE
COMPOSITION

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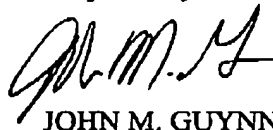
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- Transmittal Letter (2 pages)
- Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$120
- Petition for 1-Month Extension of Time
- Amendment "A" and Response (12 pages)

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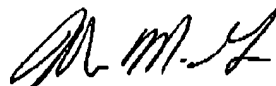
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AMENDMENT "A" AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.